



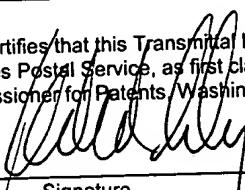
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Filed: 9/8/00 Docket No.: 796.366USW1  
Title: ROUTING OF DATA TRANSMISSION CONNECTION

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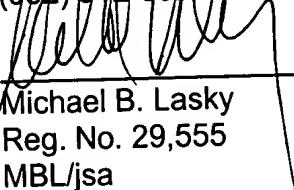
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Request for Corrected Filing Receipt

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Dear Sir:

The Filing Receipt for the above referenced patent application is incorrect in the following respects: the filing date is incorrect, the TOT Claims, the IND Claims are incorrect, the second inventor's last name is incorrectly spelled, Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant is missing and Foreign Applications is missing priority information.

Accordingly, in the Filing Date section, please replace "03/22/2001" with -- 09/08/2000 --. Enclosed please find a copy of the return postcard showing receipt by the United States Patent and Trademark Office date stamp of 8 September 2000 and including a serial number.

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Accordingly, in the TOT Claims section, please replace "1" with -- 30 --.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Request for Continuation Of An International Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) page 2 which clearly states that the filing fee is calculated from the total number of claims as 30.

Accordingly, in the IND Claims section, please replace "1" with -- 5 --. Enclosed please find a copy of the Request for Continuation Of An International Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) page 2, which clearly states that the filing fee is calculated from the independent number of claims as 5.

Accordingly, in the Applicant(s) section, please replace "Akopelto" with  
-- Ahopelto --.

Accordingly, in the Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant section, please add  
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Accordingly, in the Foreign Applications section, please add -- FINLAND 980537  
03/09/1998--.

A copy of the Filing Receipt with the requested changes in red is enclosed with this communication. Applicant respectfully requests prompt issuance of a Corrected Filing Receipt.

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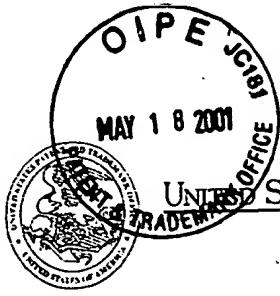
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## Title

Rounting of data transmission connection

## Preliminary Class

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PCT/F99/00174

Applicant: Kari, et al.  
Title: ROUTING OF DATA TRANSMISSION CONNECTION  
Serial Number: To be assigned  
Filing Date: 8 September 2000  
Docket Number: 796.366USW1

- Request for Continuation Application of international application
- Patent application including 9 pages of specification, 4 pages of claims, 5 drawings
- Preliminary Amendment
- Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, copies of 5 referenced
- Unsigned Declaration
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) of prior pending international application number PCT/FI99/00174 filed on 5 March 1999 entitled ROUTING OF DATA TRANSMISSION CONNECTION, which designated the United States.

1.  Enclosed is a patent application containing 9 pages of specification, 4 pages of claims and 5 sheet(s) of drawings.
2.  A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3.  Please amend the specification by inserting the following paragraph after the title:

This application is a continuation of international application serial number PCT/FI99/00174, filed 5 March 1999.
4.  Small entity status
  - a.  A small entity statement is enclosed.
  - b.  A small entity statement was filed in the prior non provisional application.
  - c.  is no longer claimed.

The filing fee is calculated below

CLAIMS				
	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	30	10	X \$18.00	\$ 180.00
Indep. Claims	5	2	X \$78.00	\$ 156.00
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			TOTAL	\$ 1026.00

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6.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16-1.18 to Deposit Account Number 50-1038.
7.  The priority of Finnish application number 980537, filed 9 March 1998, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
 A certified copy of the priority application is enclosed.
8.  An unsigned Declaration is enclosed.
9.  An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_, Recordation Form Cover Sheet (Patents Only) and a check in the amount of \$40.
10.  An Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449 and copies of 5 citations are enclosed.
11.  Correspondence Address

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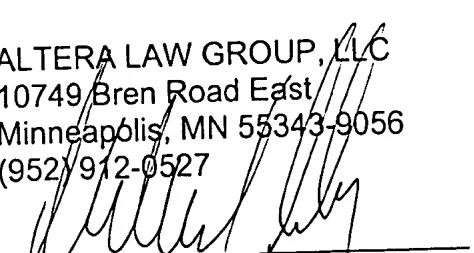
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13.  Also enclosed:

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